

SENATE BILL NO. 830

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR ROWDEN.

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KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

AN ACT

To amend chapter 192, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to nonopioid alternatives.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 192, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto
2 one new section, to be known as section 192.975, to read as
3 follows:

**192.975. 1. The department of health and senior
2 services shall develop and publish on its website an
3 educational pamphlet regarding the use of nonopioid
4 alternatives for the treatment of acute, subacute, and
5 chronic pain. The pamphlet shall conform with the most
6 current clinical practice guidelines for prescribing opioids
7 for pain from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
8 and may be updated as needed. The information in the
9 pamphlet shall include, but not be limited to, the following:**

10 **(1) Information on available nonopioid alternatives
11 for the treatment of pain, including pharmacological and
12 nonpharmacological treatments; and**

13 **(2) The advantages and disadvantages of the use of
14 nonopioid alternatives.**

15 **2. No later than January 1, 2025, and every two years
16 thereafter, the department shall distribute the most updated
17 version of the educational pamphlet to local public health
18 agencies and associations representing the state's federally**

19 qualified health centers, rural health clinics, and
20 community mental health centers.

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